

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims

1. (currently amended) A method for simulating the trading of carbon dioxide equivalent emission reductions using an electronic trading application, comprising:

allowing receiving a user input to participate in an electronic trading simulation of carbon dioxide equivalent emission reductions using the electronic trading application;

receiving a user input to generate internal reductions in connection with an organization selected to participate in the electronic trading simulation; and

allowing receiving a simulation administrator input to modify parameters in connection with the electronic trading simulation in real-time using the electronic trading application.

2. (currently amended) The method of claim 1 further comprising allowing the receiving a simulation administrator input to log onto the electronic trading simulation.

3. (currently amended) The method of claim 1 wherein the allowing receiving the simulation administrator input to modify the parameters comprises allowing the receiving a simulation administrator input to modify a real-time timeline for the electronic trading simulation.

4. (currently amended) The method of claim 1 wherein the allowing receiving the simulation administrator

input to modify the parameters comprises ~~allowing the receiving a simulation administrator~~ input to create a news announcement.

5. (currently amended) The method of claim 4 further comprising ~~allowing the receiving a simulation administrator~~ input to release the news announcement to the user.

6. (currently amended) The method of claim 1 wherein the ~~allowing receiving~~ the simulation administrator input to modify the parameters comprises ~~allowing the receiving a simulation administrator~~ input to release a news announcement.

7. (cancelled)

8. (currently amended) The method of claim 1 wherein the ~~allowing receiving~~ the simulation administrator input to modify the parameters comprises ~~allowing the receiving a simulation administrator~~ input to modify parameters in connection with an ~~organisation~~ organization that is participating in the electronic trading simulation.

9. (currently amended) The method of claim 1 wherein the ~~allowing receiving~~ the simulation administrator input to modify the parameters comprises ~~allowing the receiving a simulation administrator~~ input to modify parameters in connection with a country that is participating in the electronic trading simulation.

10. (currently amended) The method of claim 1 further comprising ~~allowing the receiving a user~~ input to log onto the electronic trading simulation.

11. (currently amended) The method of claim 1 wherein the allowing a receiving the user input to participate in the electronic trading simulation comprises allowing the receiving a user input to review information about the electronic trading simulation.

12. (currently amended) The method of claim 1 wherein the allowing a receiving the user input to participate in the electronic trading simulation comprises allowing the receiving a user input to select an organisation organization to participate in the electronic trading simulation.

13. (currently amended) The method of claim 1 wherein the allowing a receiving the user input to participate in the electronic trading simulation comprises allowing the receiving a user input to review the position of an organisation organization selected to participate in the electronic trading simulation.

14. (currently amended) The method of claim 1 wherein the allowing a receiving the user input to participate in the electronic trading simulation comprises allowing the receiving a user input to generate credits in connection with an organisation organization selected to participate in the electronic trading simulation.

15. (cancelled)

16. (currently amended) The method of claim 1 wherein the allowing a receiving the user input to participate in the electronic trading simulation comprises allowing the receiving a user input to trade carbon dioxide

equivalent emission reductions using the electronic trading application.

17. (currently amended) The method of claim 1 wherein the allowing a receiving the user input to participate in the electronic trading simulation comprises allowing the receiving a user input to review a news announcement.

18. (currently amended) The method of claim 17 wherein the allowing a receiving the user input to review the news announcement comprises allowing the receiving a user input to review a late breaking news announcement.

19. (currently amended) The method of claim 1 wherein the allowing a receiving the user input to participate in the electronic trading simulation comprises allowing the receiving a user input to review a timeline of sessions of the electronic trading simulation.

20. (currently amended) The method of claim 1 wherein the allowing a receiving the user input to participate in the electronic trading simulation comprises allowing the receiving a user input to review a report at the end of the electronic trading simulation.

21. (currently amended) A system for simulating the trading of carbon dioxide equivalent emission reductions using an electronic trading application, comprising:

user computer equipment configured to allow receive a user input to participate in an electronic trading simulation of carbon dioxide equivalent emission reductions using the electronic trading application and configured to

receive a user input to generate internal reductions in connection with an organization selected to participate in the electronic trading simulation; and

administrator computer equipment configured to allow receive a simulation administrator input to modify parameters in connection with the electronic trading simulation in real-time using the electronic trading application.

22. (cancelled)